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LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Screen Wire. Holloway Bros.
Fruit Jars. Holloway Bros.

County court will convene at the
court house next Monday, July 1st.

All kinds of fishing tackle at C. R.
Gaines.

Mr. Chas. Graff was a visitor at our
office this week.

Phone 37 for special auto livery.
McClougherty & Son. 25-1f

Albert Bilhartz of Biry was a visitor
at this office Monday.

For fancy fresh fruits and green
vegetables, go to Barrientes or phone
200. L. Barrientes & Son.

Mrs. F. S. Cockrell has as her guest
this week Miss Grace Miller of San
Antonio.

Mrs. H. E. Haass and son, Edgar,
and A. G. Holloway motored into San
Antonio last Saturday.

FOR SALE—Cheap, moving picture
in small town. Boys leaving for navy.
Address 242, Hondo, Texas. 45

Go to C. R. Gaines for garden hoses.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Reitzer of Sturm
Hill were last week-end visitors to
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Reitzer.

Rolph Balzan of Knippa was here
Friday of last week, the guest of Mr.
and Mrs. Robert Reitzer.

Mrs. J. H. Henderson and daughter,
Miss Kate, are the guests of relatives
and friends in Seguin and Kingsburg
this week.

But four alien enemy women regis-
tered with Postmaster Chancy in com-
pliance with the recent rules promul-
gated by the government.

Whenever your windmill or gasoline
engine needs repairing call on Edwin
F. Bendele for quick service. 14-1f

Miss Mollie de Montel and Miss Marie
Filleman were the guests of Mrs.
Cecilia Bibolet in Eagle Pass last Sun-
day.

A game of base ball was played
between the Hondo boys and a team
from Pearsall on the local diamond
here Tuesday afternoon, in which the
Hondo team was victorious by a score
of 8 to 4. Owing to car trouble the
Pearsall boys arrived late and as a
consequence not as large a crowd was
present to witness the game as there
would have been had the game occur-
red at an earlier hour. Batteries: For
Hondo, Wilson and Bendele; Pearsall,
Orr and Little.

The Hondo boys are so steadily slip-
ping out and finding themselves a place
in Uncle Sam's combat forces that it
is hard to keep up with them or where
they are located. Mr. and Mrs. C. C.
Rogers this week received a letter
from their son, Lieutenant Joe Rogers.
But besides the fact that he was well
and happy his letter contained but lit-
tle information, as letters coming from
France are strictly censored. Ralph
Windrow, who had been at home for
quite a while on waiting orders, has
been called into active service and is
now with the aviators near Fort Worth.
"Mickey" Schmitt, who was placed on
waiting orders after enlisting in the
navy, has been called into service and
is now at Mare Island, Cal.; Kingsley
Haralson and Dan Miller were called to
Houston this week, but where they
were sent we are not advised; Sammie
Haralson was to leave last night for
San Diego, California, where he will
begin doing his bit to make the world
unhealthy for kaiserism.

HOW TO REGISTER TO VOTE.

Below will be found a copy of the certificate the ladies will have to fill out
when registering to vote in the July primary. In the first blank write your
name (using your own given name and not that of husband, if married. For
example: "Mrs. Sallie Dow," instead of "Mrs. William Dow." In the blank
space for color, white or black, give your race, if white, as Caucasian; if black,
as negro or African; in blank following the word "Occupation," if married
write "housewife;" if single insert in the space whatever the applicant does for
a livelihood; in the blank following "residence" give your postoffice; "voting
precinct," the registering officer will tell you the number of your voting pre-
cinct. The purpose of the other blank spaces are so apparent that one can
easily make a mistake, but if any one is in doubt the registering officer will
give the desired information. When the blanks are all filled sign your name
on the blank line at the bottom the same as on the first blank at the top.

The number will be filled in by the registering officer.

STATE OF TEXAS,) No.....
COUNTY OF MEDINA.)
I,, of aforesaid State and County
(write name here)
am.....years of age; color: white—black race.....
occupation..... residence..... voting
precinct.....; have lived at said place.....year.
(Signed).....

Fishing tackle. Holloway Bros.
Gasoline Irons. Holloway Bros.

For service buy Good Year Tires.
Citizens' Motor Car. Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Zinsmeister
and family of San Antonio visited
friends here one day this week.

Eugen Huesser will give you a satis-
factory job in re-covering your auto.
See him for price. 28-1f

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Huegele of De-
vine are entertaining a young lady at
their home. She arrived last Monday.

FOR SALE—100 steers, 1's to 3's;
also 100 cows. Phone 950-F 22, A. L.
Haegelin, Hondo, Texas. 46-5tp.

Rollie Bless spent a furlough at
home. He arrived last Saturday and
left again for Camp Bowie Wednesday
morning.

Mrs. J. J. Droicourt and children
are at home again after quite a pro-
tracted visit with relatives and friends
in Castroville.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Reitzer spent
a very pleasant day as the guests of
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Reitzer in Yancey
last Sunday.

Resp Hooks. Holloway Bros.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Reitzer and
daughter, Miss Maggie, were here
from Dunlay last week the guests of
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Reitzer.

Miss Clara McGinnis, a student in
the Normal and incidental visiting
her sister, Mrs. C. D. Earnest, left
last Sunday on a brief visit to rela-
tives and friends at Crystal City. She
returned to Hondo Thursday evening.

Fritz Hartman, who was drafted on
June 24th, reported home the next day
that the boys already wore their uni-
forms. He is with the medical depart-
ment at Camp Travis with six Medina
County boys.

County Agent Lee informs us that
F. A. Brown and Don. Riff are busy
this week filling their silos, cutting
down the corn that old sol was striving
to make tinner of and converting it
into fine stock food when needed.

Fishing tackle. Holloway Bros.

Judge and Mrs. A. M. Lamm spent
last Saturday and Sunday in Yancey
and say that it has been many a long
day since they have enjoyed a visit so
thoroughly as they did their visit to
the little sand city to the south. They
say old-time Southern hospitality is still
a characteristic of the good people of
that section.

Henry Buss has been again awarded
the contract to carry the mail between
Hondo and Yancey, and for the next
four years his appearance along the
highway that connects these two points
will be more eagerly watched for by
the nieces and nephews of the be-
whiskered old gentleman known as
Uncle Sam than that of any other
wayfarer along this much used thor-
oughfare.

In the proper column of today's pa-
per will be found the announcement of
Henry Moore, he seeking re-election to
the office of Constable of Precinct No.
1. For the past year Mr. Moore has
been engaged in guarding the railroad
bridge at the Francisco and has about
dissipated the fortune he had accumu-
lated out of his office and thinks he will
soon be poor enough to again resume
the office of constable of this precinct,
hence he asks your support at the ap-
proaching November election.

Ice Cream Freezers. Holloway Bros.
Ice Cream Freezers. Holloway Bros.
Buy your Filtered gasoline from
McClougherty & Son. 25-1f

Miss Ruth Rothe is home from an
extended visit in San Antonio.

Mrs. J. G. Heyen and children, Jack
and Doris, are back from a month's
visit in Uvalde.

Mrs. Wm. Wanshaff is back from a
visit to friends and relatives in San
Antonio.

Misses Mollie de Montel and Marie
Filleman spent Sunday in Eagle Pass,
the guest of Mrs. Cecilia Bibolet.

Screen Wire. Holloway Bros.

According to directions of Pope
Benedict XV, the holy Mass celebrated
to-day, June 29, was for the early re-
turn of charity, concord and justice a-
mong all nations of the world.

Services at the Lutheran Church
(Pastor Falkenberg), will begin at
10:00 o'clock a. m. now every Sunday
during the hot season. The change was
made to enable people from the coun-
try to reach their homes sooner.

Fruit Jars. Holloway Bros.

Prof. T. C. Hickman was here last
Sunday on a brief visit to his family.
He was en route from Crystal City,
where he has just been elected super-
intendent and agricultural instructor
of the public school of that thriving
burg, to the A. & M. College where
he is taking a special course in agri-
culture. After a brief stay here he
went on to the A. & M.

4th of July.

A Service Flag in honor of the men
of St. John's Parish, now serving our
country in the Army and Navy, will be
placed in the Church on the National
holiday. The ceremony which will be-
gin at 8:15 p. m. will consist of the fol-
lowing:

Recitation of the Rosary; address by
the Pastor; Blessing and raising of the
flag; Benediction of the Blessed Sacra-
ment.

The public is cordially invited.

To Run in the Primary.

We would advise the friends of the
various candidates to read the an-
nouncements in the Anvil Herald announ-
cement column every week as quite a
number of those who first announced
for the general election in November
are changing to the primary election.
All three of the candidates for county
treasurer have entered the primaries;
the candidates for county judge, assessor
and county clerk, neither of whom
so far have opposition, and one of the
candidates for county school superin-
tendent and one for sheriff are running
in the primaries. There may be other
changes between now and primary elec-
tion day, so as we said above, keep
posted on our announcement column so
as to render your favorite the best
service.

A Farewell Surprise Party.

Sunday night, June 23rd, a farewell
surprise party was given at the home
of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bilhartz in
honor of Alfred Rihn, another one of
Medina County's patriotic men who
was called to leave for training Mon-
day, June 24th.

The evening was spent in playing
games and conversation.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs.
Albert Bilhartz and family, Mr. and
Mrs. Louis Rihn and family, Mr. and
Mrs. R. L. Haass and family, Mr. and
Mrs. John Watson and family, Mr. and
Mrs. S. B. Heath and family, Mr. and
Mrs. Ed. Bader and family, Mr. and
Mrs. Jack Bilhartz and family, Mr. and
Mrs. John Blackburn, Mr. and Mrs.
Otto Bendele, Mr. and Mrs. Robert
Poe, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rihn, Mr.
and Mrs. Charles B. Wendland; Mrs.
Theresa Bendele, Mrs. Joe Breiten;
Misses Bettie and Mary Breiten, Cla-
rice and Ruby Haass, Laura, Carrie,
Alice and Alma Bilhartz, Gladys God-
den, Goldie Bilhartz, Pauline Rihn,
Lillie Schott, Ruth and Margaret Dil-
lard, Ella Bader, Dovie Watson, Hilda
Haass, Carlin Bendele; Messrs. J. F.
Pearson, Louis Biry, Arnold, Herbert
and Paul Haass, George Kuntze, Lee
and Clarence Wernette, Tom and Al-
bert Watson, Alfred, August and Fer-
dinand Rihn, Aaron Bilhartz, Joe and
Armin Breiten, Rudolph and Louis
Bendele, Raymond Schott, Henry Wend-
land, Carl Posch, Amzie Godden, Er-
win Loesberg, Vincent Haass, Ralph
Bilhartz and Julius Rihn.

At midnight supper was served which
every one did ample justice to. About
2:30 o'clock all departed for their re-
spective homes, wishing Mr. Alfred
good luck in the future.

ONE OF THE CROWD.

School Tax Wins.

The election Tuesday to determine
whether or not an additional tax of
15 cents on the \$100 valuation should
be levied and collected as a main-
tenance tax in the Hondo Independent
School District proved one of the clos-
est contests that ever occurred here,
the tax carrying by the small major-
ity of one vote—76 votes being cast
for the tax, to 75 against. With this
new levy this district now has a main-
tenance tax of 40 cents on the \$100
valuation for the exclusive use of the
school and should result in Hondo hav-
ing one of the best schools in West
Texas.

More Registrants Leave.

Another as handsome a bunch of
young soldiers as ever donned a uni-
form left Monday evening when the
seventeen Medina county boys called
to the colors entrained here for Camp
Travis, San Antonio. Following are
the names of those who left: James
Ambersson, Alfred Rihn, John Schuell-
ing, Fritz H. Hartman, Paul L. Koenig,
Leo W. Belzung, Paul J. Loesberg,
Frank J. Zinsmeyer, Edwin M. Nester,
Louis F. Graff, Emil Gerloff, Frank A.
Tschirhart, Julian Suarez, Juan Her-
rada, Byrd McMickle, Jim Odell and
Alex H. Love. Quite a number of the
relatives and friends of the boys were
at the depot to bid them adieu and to
wish them a safe and speedy return
home after the Berlin beast has been
taught that the world is too big and
too enlightened to be dominated by
such a twentieth century misfit as he is.

Red Cross Notes.

A committee of Red Cross ladies
went to D'Hanis Monday afternoon to
inspect work done by that Auxiliary.
The work had been done excellently.
The work-room was really spotlessly
clean and order in the room was ex-
cellent. The ladies are very enthu-
siastic and it is readily proven by the
2,000 2x2 gauze wipes the committee
found ready to be inspected. The la-
dies work three afternoons during the
week and have just been working three
weeks.

Those having taken the instruction in
"surgical dressings" when Mrs.
Melsman was here, signed the Oath of
Allegiance Friday and the following
ladies were given pupil certificates:
Mrs. H. Bradley, Miss Annie Callahan,
Mrs. F. Cockrell, Mrs. Robert Deckert,
Miss Willie Fly, Miss Mary Kempf,
Mrs. Olin Lacy, Mrs. Will Laughing-
house, Mrs. Oscar Miller, Mrs. Henry
Merriman, Miss May Routt, Miss Net-
tie Woods, Mrs. Wm. Scamitt and
Miss Lenora Schmidt. These ladies
are qualified to teach the making of
surgical dressing in any Auxiliary in
Medina County.

The Hondo Base-ball Team played
Pearsall Wednesday. The gate re-
ceipts amounting to \$5.15, were donated
to the Red Cross.

Water-melons donated to the R. C.
by Mr. Fritz Faseler, were sold for
\$5.00.

Mrs. Bessie Williams, the Nazarene
Evangelist, donated \$3.15 to the R. C.,
the amount realized from a book sale
during the meeting.

The regular business meeting will be
held Wednesday, July 3rd, at 3 p. m.

The Red Cross work-rooms were
closed this week, owing to the walls
being repaired. The work will be com-
pleted this week, so the work rooms
will be open as usual hereafter.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank our many friends
and relatives for so kindly assisting us
during the illness and at the funeral of
our darling baby, also for the floral
offerings.

MR. AND MRS. V. A. CROW.

Don't use an auto with an old and
torn top. Let Eugen Huesser re-cover
it. Prices right. 28-1f

NUX-I-TONE Iron! Iron! Take Iron!

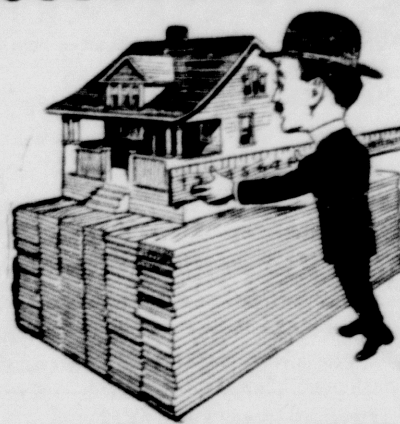
There can be no strong, healthy men or beautiful, rosy-cheeked
women without Iron in Blood.

NUX-I-TONE is a tonic containing Iron and Nux
vomica in combination with beef
peptones and wine. It is an ex-
cellent strengthening tonic for pale, weak and run-down conditions,
increasing vitality. It is just the tonic you need at this season of
the year for that tired, weak, worn-out feeling.

NUX-I-TONE puts Iron in your Blood and gives you
real vitality. It is recommended for
loss of sleep, loss of appetite, loss of flesh, and for conditions due to
insufficient iron in the blood. You will know what that happy,
worth-while feeling is if you will give your blood a chance.

Bring this clipping and 75c. to our store on NUX-I-TONE
Day, which is Saturday, June 29th, and receive a full size
Dollar Bottle of NUX-I-TONE. Don't forget the day.

W. H. Windrow PRESCRIPTION
DRUGGIST



BUILD YOUR HOUSE FROM LUMBER

bought here and thus insure
permanent satisfaction and
freedom from the many repair
bills that always follow the
use of poor or unseasoned
lumber. Better try our lum-
ber and be done with it than
to buy poorer and then be con-
tinually paying for repairs.
The best is always the cheap
est.

KUNTZ-FLINT LUMBER CO.

"Fish For Food"

Time counts now-a-days in sport as well as in busi-
ness. You will double your
fishing efficiency by supply-
ing yourself with the best
Fishing Tackle. It will
pay you to investigate my
line.

Fishing Season Opens
MAY 1st.
C. R. GAINES

Calling your attention to the
fact that many cheap tires that
are offered at 40 per cent cheaper
than the Standard Tires are much
higher priced in the long run.
Time lost in blow-outs and trouble.
Keep in mind I handle
RACINE, GOODYEAR, U. S. and
KELLY-SPRINGFIELD TIRES
SOME GUARANTEED FOR
7,500 Miles
C. R. GAINES

When You Get Ready to Build or Repair Anything

Come in and talk the matter over with us before
buying your lumber elsewhere. We are here to
serve you—to be so useful to you that YOU GET
THE HABIT of sending to us for all of your Build-
ing Material, Brick, Iron Roofing, Paints, Etc.
Hondo Lumber Company, Incorporated.

H. F. KING, Cashier.
E. R. LEINWEBER, Pres. JOENEY, Vice-Pres.

HONDO STATE BANK

A GUARANTY FUND BANK

The non-interest bearing and unsecured deposits of this
bank are protected by the State Bank Guaranty Fund.

THE First National Bank

HONDO, TEXAS


Capital \$50,000.00

Surplus \$22,000.00

J. M. FINGER - - - - - President
ED. DE MONTEL - - - - - Vice-President
JOE FOHN - - - - - Vice-President
HORACE BRADLEY - - - - - Cashier
CHAS. FINGER - - - - - Ass't. Cashier

THE INCREASING BUSI-
NESS of this BANK is
an indication that the service
it renders is satisfactory. If
not already a patron, may
we not have your account?
We give our customers as
liberal accommodations as is
consistent with sound bank-
ing.

EAT ALL YOU WANT!



No More Gas on the Stomach or Sour Stomach! No More Heavy Feeling After Meals or Constipation!

If you have sour stomach, constipation or gas on the stomach GNE SPOONFUL simple laxative, boric acid, glycerine, etc., as used in Adierika, will bring you INSTANT relief.

Adierika cures all the old food matter from the system leaving the bowels and stomach fresh and CLEAN, ready to digest anything. Guards against appendicitis.

Martin Drug Company
Rexall Druggists and Jewelers

Screen Wire. Holloway Bros.
Fishing tackle. Holloway Bros.
Reap Hooks. Holloway Bros.
Mrs. Joe Burgin was here from Yancey Thursday.

We buy all kinds of second hand sacks. Ask us for prices. L. Barrientes & Son.

Mrs. J. Arthur Williamson and little son, Montel, returned Thursday from a visit to relatives at Castrovilla.

Let us convince you what a saving it is to have your Casings and Tubes vulcanized. Citizens Motor Car Co.

Rev. F. Pallanche spent last week in San Antonio attending the Junior Clergy Retreat at St. Louis College.

All kinds of furniture repairing at Edwin F. Bendek's. All work done at reasonable prices. 14-15

Miss Sarah Wyatt of Sabinal has been the guest of her grandmother, Mrs. August Garteiser, for the past week.

Mrs. Effie Sanders came out from San Antonio last Friday to be at the bedside of her nephew, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Crow.

H. E. Haass, Attorney at Law, Surveyor's Office, Courthouse, Hondo, Texas. All legal matters carefully attended to, in all courts of Texas. Manager Medina County Abstract Co.

Pastor Falkenberg, as on similar occasions, last Sunday urged the members of the Lutheran Church earnestly to help our government by buying War Saving Stamps in accordance to their means.

Mrs. M. Zizelmann returned to San Antonio last week and was accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. Carl Richter. Mrs. Richter returned Sunday in company with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Zizelmann and sons, who autoed out for the day.

FOUND—in my pasture, a bay mare; black mane and tail; about 14 hands high. No brand, a scar above both knees, and a collar mark on left shoulder. Owner can recover same by paying expenses. R. W. Wilson, 45-46 Yancey, Texas.

County Agent Lee has a pink boll worm which he is showing to all who are interested in such insects. Of all the scourges that the cotton industry is heir to the pink boll worm is by far the most destructive. Any one wishing to make the acquaintance of a pink worm can do so by calling on County Agent Lee. He will be glad to introduce you to him.

Gasoline Irons. Holloway Bros.

To Kill Blue Bugs and Stick Tight Fleas. Martin's Wonderful Blue Bug Killer fed to chickens will kill these bugs. To kill Screw Worms use Martin's Screw Worm Killer. You will be satisfied with results. For Sale by W. H. WINDROW. 45-46

Uncle Billy O'Donnell, observing a custom long established, had a large number of his friends and neighbors drop in and help him celebrate his natal day one day the past week. Uncle Billy is now 78 years young, and if not excluded by law would probably now be clad in khaki and doing his part to make the world unsafe for kaiserism. Owing to patriotic impulses the amber fluid and pretzels that have heretofore occupied prominent places on the menu cards of former similar occasions, this time had to give way to corn bread and buttermilk, with tomatoes as plate favors. The crowd that helped make merry the 78th anniversary of his birth was a large one and a jolly one. Before dispersing Uncle Billy had the crowd assemble in his tomato patch and had a picture made which he will forward to his relative, Wm. Minch, one of the directors of Coney Island, N. Y., to show him what can be accomplished in arid West Texas with proper effort. After a few happy hours spent with Uncle Billy the crowd dispersed to their respective homes, but before departing expressed to their host their pleasure at being with him on his birthday and to express the hope that time would deal leniently with him and that he would yet live to be an old man.

Fruit Jars. Holloway Bros.
Gasoline Irons. Holloway Bros.
Rev. J. Heinzmeier of Lacoste was here Tuesday.

Mrs. Bertie Comeau and children are here from San Antonio visiting relatives.

C. B. Watters and Markon Davis made a trip to Sabinal last Saturday evening.

Amos Finger is now manipulating the yard-stick behind the counter at the Sugarman Supply Co.

Ice Cream Freezers. Holloway Bros.

Miss Lola Berry, after several weeks visit with her brother, M. M. Berry, and family of San Antonio, returned home Tuesday.

Mrs. W. W. Walker and her children of Austin are here on a two week's visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Aug. Hornung.

Extra Fancy Onions at 75c. per crate of 50 pounds. Bring your sacks. L. Barrientes. 46-47

Machine hemstitching and piecedging. 10c per yard. Mrs. H. B. Houston, Uvalde, Texas. 38-39

Miss Dorothy Metzger has been helping out with the stenographic work in the office of the Medina County Abstract Co. this week.

C. R. Gaines, distributor for Goodyear, Racine and U. S. Tires and Columbia Dry Cell Batteries. Prices guaranteed. 14

Always a fresh supply of Goodyear Tires, Accessories and Columbia Batteries in stock. Quality first, price last. Citizens Motor Car Co.

Mrs. H. B. Journey and baby arrived Wednesday from Del Rio on a visit to Mrs. Journey's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hancock.

Let Edwin F. Bendek put up your windmills and gasoline engines. All work guaranteed satisfactory. 14-15

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Watters were here from San Antonio last Saturday and Sunday the guests of relatives and friends.

Mail orders promptly attended to Phone or write us for any and every thing usually sold in a Drug store. W. H. Windrow, Prescription Drug-gist, Hondo, Texas.

WE BUY—Hens, Pullets, Fryers, Turkeys, Roosters. We are now on the market for all you can bring. Market prices. Phone 200. L. Barrientes. (40)

Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Haegelin are here with their little daughter, Doris, who is quite ill at the home of her grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Haegelin.

Miss Bertha Qeffinger arrived home Wednesday from San Antonio where she had been for the past five weeks at the bedside of her sister, Mrs. Willie Saathoff. We are pleased to report Mrs. Saathoff as convalescent and able to return home from San Antonio today.

One dark red cow, branded Y on left side and Y on left hip, marked (left cut off close to head), and left horn broke off. Been in my pasture several months. Owner can have same by paying damages, expense of keep, pasture, etc. Jack M. Fusselman. 43-m

Player Piano Bargain

We have in this locality a very fine \$600 Player Piano in perfect condition. Rather than ship it back we will sacrifice and accept cash or Liberty Bonds.

MAYOR PIANO COMPANY
San Antonio, Texas

Valter Meyer Crow.
Valter Meyer, the eighteen-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Crow, died at 4:00 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, after an illness of some fifteen days, and the little body was tenderly laid to rest in Oakwood Cemetery at 5:00 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. Rev. J. W. Long, pastor of the Methodist Church, officiating.

In the death of their little boy the distressed parents have the heartiest sympathy of all our people. What a consolation must be the words of the Christ, "Suffer little children to come unto me, and forbid them not, for of such is the Kingdom of Heaven," be them in this their hour of sadness.

Vital Statistics.
Births reported during the month of May, 1918.

May 1st, to Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Rudinger, D'hanis, a girl.
May 1st, to Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Meyers, Hondo, a boy.

May 3rd, to Mr. and Mrs. Roland M. Moore, Hondo, a boy.

May 6th, to Mr. and Mrs. Ramon Ramirez, Devine, a boy.

May 6th, to Mr. and Mrs. Joe A. Hans, Lacoste, a boy.

May 6th, to Mr. and Mrs. Alfred J. Carle, D'hanis, a boy.

May 7th, to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Echtle, Lacoste, a boy.

May 7th, to Mr. and Mrs. Paul H. Kenken, Hondo, a boy.

May 11th, to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Green (negro), Devine, a boy.

May 13th, to Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hurt, Hondo, a girl.

May 14th, 1918, to Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hardy, Lacoste, a boy.

May 21st, to Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Stein, Cliff, a boy.

May 22nd, to Mr. and Mrs. Price Love, Devine, a girl.

May 22nd, to Mr. and Mrs. Emil Carle, D'hanis, a girl.

May 22nd, to Mr. and Mrs. Edward G. Lamon, Castrovilla, a boy.

May 26th, to Mr. and Mrs. Otto Grell, Quini, a boy.

May 31st, to Mr. and Mrs. Henry McCall, Hondo, a girl.

Deaths reported during the month of May, 1918.

May 4th, Miss Noma Grell, age 15 years, Hondo.

May 7th, Joseph Echtle, age 1 day, Lacoste.

May 11, James A. Grimes, age 50 years, Hondo.

May 19th, Louis Heath, age 76 years, Devine.

May 30th, Mrs. Ediza Tondre, age 82, Castrovilla.

Program Junior League.

Song, "Anywhere with Jesus".

Leader, Lucille Newton.

Bible reading, Math. 13, 3-8.

Prayer.

Special Music.

Our mission work in foreign lands, by the League.

Bible contest.

Reading, Volney Boon.

Need of Torchbearers, Murray Dilworth.

Song.

Benediction.

YES! LIFT A CORN OFF WITHOUT PAIN!

Cincinnati authority tells how to dry up a corn or callus so it lifts off with fingers.

You corn-pestered men and women need suffer no longer. Wear the shoes that nearly killed you before, says this Cincinnati authority, because a few drops of freezone applied directly on a tender, aching corn or callus, stops soreness at once and soon the corn or hardened callus loosens so it can be lifted out, root and all, without pain.

A small bottle of freezone cost very little at any drug store, but will positively take off every hard or soft corn or callus. This should be tried, as it is inexpensive and is said not to irritate the surrounding skin.

If your druggist hasn't any freezone tell him to get a small bottle for you from his wholesale drug house. It is fine stuff and acts like a charm every time.

Hon. M. M. McFarland of Alpine, candidate for state senator from this the 25th Senatorial District, was here Wednesday in the interest of his candidacy.

Up to 5:00 o'clock Thursday afternoon twenty-nine Medina county ladies had signified their purpose of taking part in the July primaries by taking out their registration certificates.

FOUND—In my pasture, brown mare mule, about three years old, branded on left shoulder figure 2 with bar over it. Owner can have same by calling and paying costs. R. A. Haegelin. 4t

Moved.

I have moved my office from the Leinweber building to my residence, north on same street, next to Oscar Miller's residence. Look for optometrist's sign over gate.

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I am a native of Houston, a descendant of one of the soldiers who fought for the Texas Republic. Since the age of seventeen, I have been self-supporting. I am a graduate of the University of Texas and have done post-graduate work in both the University of Texas and the University of Chicago. My preparation included four years' work in Education. I have had the advantage of extensive travel both in America and Europe. I have served in both the country and city schools, and have taught the work of every grade of the public schools. In addition, I have had seven years' experience in the North Texas State Normal College. I am the only woman who has served as President of the State Teachers' Association; I am one of the Vice-presidents of the National Education Association, and I have done much work of a civic and social character. I am a member of the Daughters of the Confederacy, of the Daughters of the Republic of Texas, of the Parent-Teachers' Association, and of the Federated Clubs.

If elected, I pledge myself to work impartially for the welfare of all of the schools of the State. As a consequence of war conditions, with the resultant high cost of living and of certain other disadvantages of the teachers' work, Texas is facing an alarming shortage of teachers. To the problem of the exodus of teachers from the school, I can bring the sympathetic understanding of the teacher's point of view. I shall give special study to rural problems—to the extension of the term, to the improvement of conditions for both pupil and teacher, and to the adaptation of the course of study both to the length of the term and to the life of the community. I shall work for the establishment of consolidated schools, for the advancement of the county library movement, and for the use of the schools as social centers. I pledge myself to work for equal opportunity and equal remuneration for men and women teachers, where equal service is rendered.

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Delicious "Fruit Laxative" can't harm tender little Stomach, Liver and Bowels.

Look at the tongue, mother! If coated, your little one's stomach, liver and bowels need cleansing at once. When peevish, cross, listless, doesn't sleep, eat or act naturally, or is feverish, stomach sour, breath bad; has sore throat, diarrhea, full of cold, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the foul, constipated waste, undigested food and sour bile gently moves out of its little bowels without gripping, and you have a well, playful child again. Ask your druggist for a bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which contains full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups.

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We guarantee that the man who undersells us will never get rich off the sales he makes.

Are you open to conviction? Then come and see us.

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Our Castroville Page

Local, Personal and Business Items from This Busy Burg

CASTROVILLE, JUNE 27, 1918

ED. HUEHNER, LOCAL REPRESENTATIVE

News or business matter for this page for the week's issue should be submitted to Mr. Huehner or mailed direct to us at Hondo not later than Wednesday night of each week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe L. Mangold and family moved back to our midst from the Masterson ranch in Bexar county, last Thursday. Welcome.

Mr. Aug. Tschirhart raised a crop of oats (irrigated) which yielded over fifty bushels per acre.

Quite a number from here attended the entertainment at Lacoate Sunday night. The same was re-rendered by the pupils of St. Mary's school for the benefit of the Red Cross Auxiliary.

A Grand Dance will be given at Vermette's Opera House, Castroville, July 4, 1918, to which the public is cordially invited. San Antonio music will be furnished.

Mr. J. Droitecourt of Hondo was here during the past week greeting his many friends.

Mr. F. Joseph Mueller, an aged and respected citizen of Medina county, died at his home on the Lower Medina Wednesday evening, June 19th, and was laid to rest at St. Mary's Catholic cemetery at Lacoate. May he rest in peace.

A number of young people attended dance at Riomedina Saturday night, and Monday night at Red Wing.

The Castroville Mutual Fire Association held its annual meeting at the Empire Opera House Sunday afternoon and the usual routine of business was transacted.

Mrs. Emil Zimmerman visited in San Antonio this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rinn, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Scherrer, Mrs. J. Arthur Williamson and their children visited at Riomedina one evening of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Boehme and two children of San Antonio visited Mrs. Armin Boehme here Tuesday.

Mrs. Louis Mangold and children are spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. Alex Mangold and family at Pipe Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Jungman, Jr., of Lacoate, and Mr. F. Nighdy of Eagle visited relatives and friends here one day this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Schuchart of San Antonio were guests of Louis Wurzback and family during the week.

Miss Theresa Hans spent several days at Lacoate.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Watters of San Antonio were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Scherrer Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Bohl spent the week with relatives in San Antonio.

Louis Scherrer made a business trip to San Antonio Monday.

The 3 yards of Lacoate made and donated by Miss Mary Grunewald for the benefit of St. Louis school was won by Miss Florence Scherrer, Mrs. J. C. Cobb, Mrs. Catherine Keller and Burnice Ahn, each receiving two yards.

Sebastian Marty is enjoying his vacation this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Ahr and daughter, May, of San Antonio, spent the week here.

Robert Rinn was at Helotes one day this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Tuerpe have returned to their home in San Antonio after a three week's visit here to their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Brieden, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. John Schorp and little son of Rio Medina visited here during the week.

Miss Agnes Schorp has returned from a month's visit to relatives and friends in San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerhart Ihnken and the daughter visited relatives at Riomedina one day this week.

Messrs. Louis Haby and Paul Haby have returned from a week's stay with relatives at Comstock.

Fritz Muenink and family of Hondo were here from Hondo Sunday, the guests of Mrs. Emil Tondre.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Tondre and family of D'Hanis visited here one evening this week.

Mrs. Frank Tschirhart and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Ahr at Lacoate Tuesday.

Mrs. George Mangold, Sr., is reported to be very sick at this writing.

F. Kithorn and family of Hondo were here Tuesday, they were accompanied by Miss Lizzie Kithorn.

Courteous treatment assured all who attend the Fourth of July Dance at Vermette's Opera House at Castroville. Come and be convinced.

Self Defense DEFEAT BACKACHE AND KIDNEY TROUBLE WITH ANURIC.

Many people in Texas, as elsewhere, have suffered from rheumatism and kidney trouble and have found Anuric to be the most successful remedy to overcome these painful and dangerous ailments.

The lucky persons are those who have suffered, but who are now well because they heeded Nature's warning signal in time to correct their trouble with that wonderful new discovery of Dr. Pierce's, called "Anuric." You should promptly heed these warnings, some of which are dizzy spells, backache, irregularity of the urine or the painful twinges of rheumatism, sciatica or lumbago. To delay may make possible the dangerous forms of kidney disease, such as stone in the bladder.

To overcome these distressing conditions take plenty of exercise in the open air, avoid a heavy meat diet, drink freely of water and at each meal take Anuric Tablets (double strength). You will, in a short time, find that you are one of the firm indorsees of "Anuric." All druggists sell Anuric for 60c; or send Dr. V. M. Pierce, Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, Buffalo, N. Y., 10c. for trial package.

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Our Lads in Blue.

We have heard the songs of the Yankees And their noble deeds in France, How they wiped out the Germans In their usual advance; But we seldom hear a word of praise For the daring lads in blue, Who navigate the transports And furnish the gun crew.

You will cross the tawny Rhine, boys, And fight your battles there, And you will have a noble victory In your conquests of the air. We will fight the submarines And convey you through the zone, And when the war is over Will bring you safely home.

And if the Kaiser dares to move His feet from Kiel We'll let them have a taste Of good Yankee steel. And when the smoke is lifted And you hear no big guns roar You needn't look for the German fleet, For it is gone to come no more.

At last the war is over, The soldiers reach home soil, All the nation's there to greet them And laborers cease to toil. There's a welcome here from mothers And from sweethearts, who were true, And the only ones forgotten Are noble lads in blue.

Now we do not ask for medals Or in glory to share, But honor us just simply For us just say a prayer; And if again you need us We'll be there to see it through. We're just forgotten heroes, The navy lads in blue.—Exchange.

C. A. VAN FLEET, U. S. S. Nereus.

Whooping Cough.

In this disease it is important that the cough be kept loose and expectoration easy, which can be done by giving Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Mrs. P. H. Martin, Peru, Ind., writes: "My two daughters had whooping cough. I gave them Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and it worked like a charm."

Sabinal Sentinel Siftings.

Mrs. A. F. Reinhart went to Hondo Tuesday on a visit.

Miss Lucy Card returned last Friday from Hondo.

Flying Cadet Harold Reilly came out from Kelley Field Saturday and returned Sunday.

Mr. T. E. Bomba of Medina County was visiting his daughter, Mrs. E. K. Kutz Sunday and returned home Monday.

Miss Lola Buchanan of Hondo and Miss Florence Baylor of Uvalde spent the week with Miss Jane Reilly.

Mrs. J. W. Brasier came in from Del Rio yesterday evening.

Miss Sarah Wyatt went to Hondo this morning for a visit.

Mrs. T. E. Wyatt went to Houston today.

Mrs. Joe Reilly and daughter, Mrs. Guenther Rathe, of San Antonio, motored out Tuesday for a short visit and returned home Wednesday.

Has a Good Opinion of Chamberlain's Tablets.

"Chamberlain's Tablets are a wonder. I never sold anything that beat them," writes F. B. Tressey, Richmond, Ky. When troubled with indigestion or constipation give them a trial.

Mrs. A. C. Thaiman returned home Thursday after a week's stay in Lyle. —Devine News.

State Lecturer Spoke at the Courthouse.

Messrs. Fletcher Davis and Judge Ed. K. Kone, both representing the State Department of Agriculture, spoke at the Courthouse, Thursday night last week, before a small but very attentive audience. Owing to lack of time only very little publicity could be given the occasion, hence the comparatively small audience, which is doubly regrettable, as the addresses, especially that of Mr. Davis, were as interesting and instructive as we have ever heard on the subject.

Mr. G. F. Oheim in well chosen words introduced the speakers. Mr. Davis' lecture on "Farmer's Institutions and Farmer's Organization" was most logical and convincing. He explained the essential functions of the State department of Agriculture, i. e., to gather statistics of crops and other farm productions from this and other states, to have expert agents study causes of particular successes and failures of certain crops, and compile the results of such study and observation into proper literature for the farmers through such agents and literature to reach and instruct the farmers in methods of production and marketing of crops, to elaborate on and recommend necessary legislation for the development and protection of agriculture etc. The speaker in logical arguments emphasized the advantage of farmer's institutions, in obtaining co-operation between communities and individuals, in encouraging and instructing mutually, by the experience of individuals or communities being imparted to others, and co-operation in shipping and marketing crops, in promoting social good fellowship and counteracting isolation and partiality among people living away from social centers.

The farmers' clubs and farmers' institutions, Mr. Davis aptly described as powerful educational factors among farmer populations.

For the organization of the farmers, and in obtaining the great benefits of these organizations, the speaker emphasized the importance of the services of the county agricultural agent and farm demonstrator, who should be and generally is eminently instrumental in procuring these co-operative organizations and the benefits derived from them.

Judge Kone followed Mr. Davis with a short address on the same subject, emphasizing and endorsing what the first speaker had said.

County agricultural demonstrator, George V. French also addressed the audience, urging greater co-operation on the part of Comal County farmers, and organizations, in order to facilitate and increase his ability to serve them, stating that he is anxious to serve the farmers of this county to a greater extent for which purpose they must act more collectively, not individually especially in the matter of procuring through his office seed and feed stuffs which cannot be handled with much advantage in small lots to individuals. Mr. French it appears is and receiving the co-operation on the part of our farmers that is necessary in order to obtain the best services of our county agricultural agent. Farmers' organization is as yet something rather new in this county, and our people will have to realize the benefits to be derived from proper co-operation in various respects, as urged by the speakers at the above occasion. —New Braunfels Herald.

Cholera Morbus.

This is a very painful and dangerous disease. In almost every neighborhood someone has died from it before medicine could be obtained or a physician summoned. The right way is to have a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy in the house so as to be prepared for it. Mrs. Charles Engart, Huntington, Indiana, writes: "During the summer of 1911 two of my children were taken sick with cholera morbus. I used Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy and it gave them immediate relief."

WEDNESDAY
ALL MEATS
WHEATLESS
USE AN INDIAN CHICKEN
WHICH IS DELICIOUS AND
CONTAINS NO FAT

Sour Stomach.

This is a mild form of indigestion. It is usually brought on by eating too rapidly or too much, or of food not suited to your digestive organs. If you will eat slowly, masticate your food thoroughly, eat but little meat and none at all for supper, you will more than likely avoid the sour stomach without taking any medicine whatever. When you have sour stomach take one of Chamberlain's Tablets to aid digestion.

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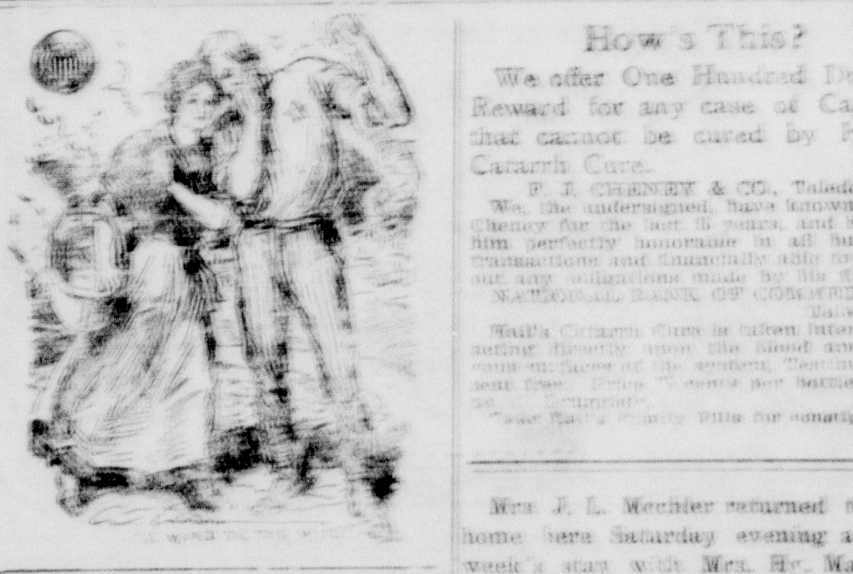
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People generally throughout the State are requested to consume as little flour as possible and urged to cut their consumption below the six pounds suggested by the administration.

From available figures, Texas has saved during the wheatless period approximately 75,000 barrels of flour, all of which has reached the army, navy and allied countries.

It will be necessary for the merchant to continue keeping a record of his flour sales, the same as before the wheatless period became effective.

The resumption of the sale of flour does not release the hotels and restaurants who have voluntarily agreed to go wheatless for some time to come.

WORK WEARS ON THE KID- NEYS.

Doan's Kidney Pills Have Done Great Service for People Who Work in Hondo.

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"I have suffered since I was about ten years old," she continued, "with a catarrhal trouble of the stomach and of recent years with rheumatism and it seemed my troubles were steadily growing worse."

"My food would sour on my stomach and the gas pressing against my heart affected my breathing greatly. I fell off until I only weighed seventy-six pounds and was so weak and nervous I got but little sleep at nights. I was constipated and suffered terribly from headaches. The rheumatism affected my lower limbs mostly and I had such pains through my back and right side I simply could not look after my household duties."

"It surely was surprising to me the way Tanlac took hold of my troubles. My appetite got better and in a short time I was eating just whatever I wanted. My strength came back to me day by day and I soon overcame the trouble from constipation and the headaches. The pains in my back and side have left me and I don't even feel the rheumatism in my lower limbs any more. I now weigh one hundred and six pounds—more than I ever weighed before in my life. Many of my friends have spoken of my great improvement and asked what on earth I had been taking. Of course, I simply tell them 'Tanlac', for I think it the most remarkable medicine ever made."

Tanlac is sold in Hondo by W. H. Windrow, in Devine by Lion Drug Store, in D'Hanis by Louis Carle, in LaCoste by Dickey Drug Co., and in Dunlay by Louis A. Haby.

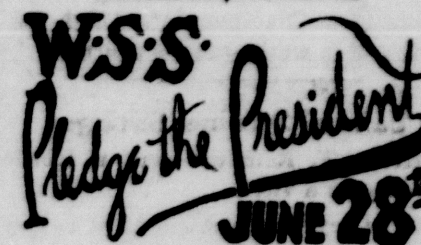


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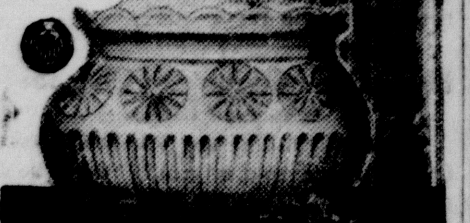
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WOMEN'S WORK.

Garments: In hospital garments the greatest needs at present are for gowns, bed shirts and hospital caps. The latter being a shirt with a taped sleeve to go on over an injured arm.

The future Chapters will be asked to get along without sample garments, but will answer the purpose equally well, and as for a paper, if they will use the paper patterns, which contain printed directions for making, and the directions. Every pattern company issues the official Red Cross patterns.

Hospital garment patterns are given as follows:

- Bed Socks, bandaged foot sock.
- French Foot Slipper.
- Operating Cap and Operating Mask.
- Hospital Bed Shirt.
- Wash Case Shirt (right arm injured).
- Wash Case Shirt (left arm injured).
- Operating Gown.
- Operating Robe.
- Operating Robe (27-inch material).
- Operating Robe (30-inch material).
- Operating Jacket A.
- Operating Jacket B.
- Operating Drawers.
- Operating Shirt.

The following changes should be made in the refugee garment pattern No. 150. This shirt should be made without the double bosom pocket. It is unnecessary to include details in the garment.

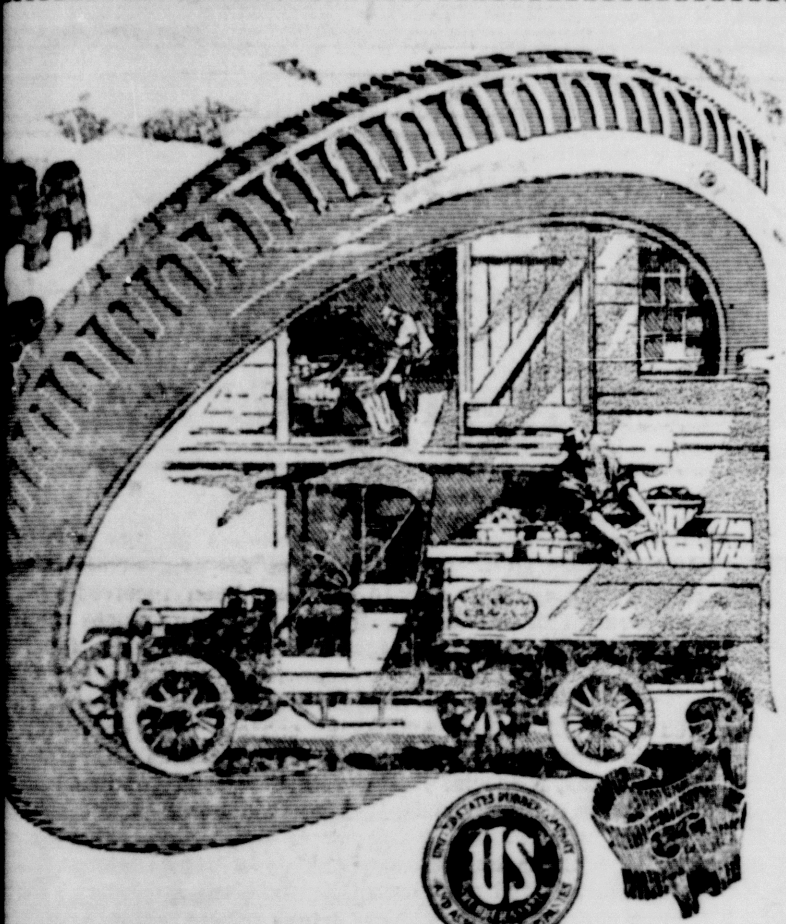
PATTERN NO. 150. WOMEN'S PETTICOAT. It is unnecessary to have a hole at the top of the petticoat. The garment may be made with a hem at the top, through which a draw string is run.

No pattern has been issued for boys' trousers, because any standard pattern for short straight trousers will be satisfactory. Material for these trousers should be brown corduroy if possible. Failing corduroy, any strong, warm, dark-colored material should be used for the trousers.

Knitings—There is a very urgent call for more socks. As additional troops are sent abroad they will have to have woolen socks, even in the summer weather. Anyone who can make good socks can be of great service now. Those who are doubtful of their ability to make them should try the rule which is published in our issue of March 4, which will be found much simpler than the one in A. R. C. 400.

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Reminiscences of Capt. Metzger.

Capt. Fred Metzger, who celebrated his 85th anniversary May 19th, with his wife and children, is a member of the local Masonic lodge which order he entered December 20th, 1860, at New Orleans. He was married to his present wife November 4th, 1861, at the age of 28 years, and when he was 82 Mrs. Metzger could use her fingers the same way, she was 71 and had married when 17 years of age.

The present time causes Mr. Metzger the following recollections:

When I landed in Galveston in 1846, coming from Germany with my father, brothers and a sister, I was less than 12 years old. My father was well to do and brought two families from Germany to work for us in Texas. They however soon left us and went their own way. Texas, then a Republic, was annexed to the United States February 19th, 1846, a few weeks after our landing. Mexico invaded Texas and the Mexican War began, the first battles were fought on Texas soil and won by the Americans under General Taylor. President Polk called for volunteers and I enlisted May 28th, 1847, with the permission of my father in Capt. Chas. R. Jones Company A, 12th Inf. Reg. as a musician, but I took a musket in many a hot battle. We marched from Vera Cruz to the City of Mexico. Our company had 24 killed on the march. We were stationed at Cuernavaca until the close of the war. Honorably discharged July 25, 1848, I returned to Galveston. Here I learned that my father, Peter, and my brother, Dr. Carl Metzger, had died of yellow fever, the rest of the family had been sick and documents, colony and certificates and money of my father had been stolen.

In 1849 I started with a party for California. At Fort Leavenworth I lost my horses and the party left without me. I contracted chills and fever, and was obliged to walk back again. I found work on a farm in Missouri, but the farmer was robbed and therefore unable to pay me. Then I managed to get on board of the steamer "Grand Turk" by helping to carry freight on board and was allowed to stay as cabin boy. Again I returned to Galveston in 1851 and again I served on a steamer as pantry man. As I could not get rid of the fever I went with a Frenchman, Emile Bourges, to the island of Martinique. There I learned the trade of a goldsmith and watchmaker. In March 1855 I came on board of the war ship "Portsmouth" to Norfolk, Virginia. Here I earned \$2.50 per day as watchmaker.

At that time the government found it necessary to protect the Texans against the marauding red skins. A regiment of cavalry had to be formed for that purpose. I enlisted in Baltimore July 20th, 1855, in Capt. Innis Palmer's Comp. D., 2nd Reg. cavalry. We were sent to Jefferson Barracks, Mo., where men and horses were drilled and the regiment equipped with the necessities for the expedition and the long march of 2,000 miles to Fort Mason, near Fredericksburg, Texas.

We had terrible weather on our route, after the march began October 27th, 1855. Sometimes we passed through burning timber and prairie fires. The twenty teams we had carrying commissary stores came near being destroyed several times. A cyclone struck us at a wood grove in Kansas, blowing down many trees. We then passed through Indian Territory.

Our first halting point was Fort Washita, where the Choctaw Indians were located. A battery of artillery came out to meet us and also our lieutenant-colonel, Robert E. Lee, who had been on special duty at this fort for some time. He took his place in front of his squadron as we marched in, escorted by the battery. Here we ate the first bread we got since leaving St. Louis. Hardtack had been our fare up to then, and we enjoyed the fresh loaves very much. A contract butcher with cattle was with us to supply us with meat and the quartermaster had to buy other supplies on the route, when he had a chance to do so, but at that time such a chance came not often.

Our next halt was another brief one at Fort Gibson, where we arrived after a six days march and again ate more fresh bread. Then we crossed the Canadian River swimming, but our wagons were ferried over, and in December we reached and crossed the Red River near Grayson.

At this time it was so cold we had to dismount, march on foot and lead our horses to prevent us from freezing. We had to put our own blankets on our horses. Heavy coats of ice formed upon the horses backs, even over the blankets, and we had to bring the animals in front of the fires to melt this ice off them. As we had no blankets to protect us, we built immense log fires. Many of our men burned overcoats, trousers and hats in getting too close to the fire, some of us burned holes through our boots. The northers were so fierce that we could not pitch our tents because the wind would blow them down. The weather was quite different from our present mid-summer days.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

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District office, \$10.00
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Precinct office, \$2.50

For State Senator
We are authorized to announce
HON. R. M. DUMLEY
of El Paso as a candidate for State Senator from the 23rd Senatorial District of Texas, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries in July.

We are authorized to announce
HON. M. M. McFALLAND
of Alpine as a candidate for State Senator from the 25th Senatorial District of Texas, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries in July.

For District Clerk
Thinking the voters of Medina County for their kind support in the past years, I hereby announce myself as a candidate for re-election to the office of Clerk of the District Court, at the general election next November.
AUGUST KEMPE.

For County Superintendent
We are authorized to announce the name of
CLARENCE E. WINN
as a candidate for the office of Superintendent of Public Education of Medina County, subject to the action of the November election.

I am a candidate for the office of County Superintendent of Public Instruction of Medina County at the November election.
I have taught twelve years in Medina County. Your support, solicited.
A. W. MYRES.

Thanking the voters of Medina County for the confidence placed in me in the past, I hereby announce myself as a candidate for re-election to the office of County Superintendent of Public Instruction of Medina County, Texas, subject to the Democratic Primary Election of July 27, 1918.

For County Attorney
We are authorized to announce
HON. G. C. MORRIS
as a candidate for the office of County Attorney of Medina County, Texas, subject to the general election in November.

For County Treasurer
Thanking the voters for past favors and again soliciting your votes and support, I hereby announce for re-election to the office of County Treasurer of Medina County, subject to the Democratic Primary Election to be held July 27, 1918.

For Tax Assessor
Thanking the voters of Medina County for the confidence reposed in me in the past, I hereby announce myself for re-election to the office of Tax Assessor of Medina County Texas, subject to the Democratic Primary, July 27, 1918.
LOU E. HEATH.

For Tax Collector
Thanking you for the generous support heretofore extended me, and again soliciting your kind consideration, I announce myself as a candidate for the office of Tax Collector of Medina County at the approaching November election.
Very respectfully,
JOE NEY.

We are authorized to announce
O. H. MILLER
as a candidate for election to the office of Tax Collector of Medina County, at the November election.

For Sheriff
We are authorized to announce
J. W. CRUTCHFIELD
as a candidate for Sheriff of Medina County, subject to the action of the voters at the July Primaries.

We are authorized to announce
J. F. BADER
as a candidate for election to the office of Sheriff of Medina County, at the general election in November.

We are authorized to announce
JOHN W. HOWARD
as a candidate for the office of County Treasurer of Medina County, subject to the Democratic Primaries, July 27, 1918. Your support and influence will be appreciated.

For County Judge
In publishing this, my announcement, as a candidate for re-election to the office of County Judge of Medina Co., at the coming Democratic Primary Election, July 27, 1918, I wish to thank the citizenship of this county for their highly appreciated friendship and support during the past, with the assurance that if re-elected I will continue to fill said office to the very best of my ability. Respectfully,
R. J. NOONAN.

For County Clerk
We are authorized to announce
S. A. JUNGMAN
as a candidate for re-election to the office of County Clerk of Medina County, subject to the action of the voters at the Democratic Primaries, July 27, 1918.

For Justice of the Peace
We are authorized to announce
A. M. LAMM
as a candidate for re-election to the office of Justice of the Peace of Precinct No. 1, at the November election.

For Public Weigher
We are authorized to announce
A. A. BADER
as a candidate for election to the office of Public Weigher of Precinct No. 1, at the November election.

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1
To the voters of Commissioner's Precinct No. 1 of Medina County:
Thanking you for past favors, and again soliciting your votes and support, I hereby announce myself for re-election to the office of County Commissioner of Precinct No. 1 of Medina Co., subject to November election. Respectfully,
B. H. BRUCKS.

For Commissioner Precinct No. 3
In again announcing myself as a candidate for re-election to the office of County Commissioner of Precinct No. 3, I wish to thank the citizens of this precinct for their highly appreciated friendship and support in the past, with the assurance that if re-elected I will continue to fill the office to the best of my ability. Respectfully,
J. B. NEY.

For Constable Precinct No. 1
We are authorized to announce
HENRY MOORE
as a candidate for re-election to the office of Constable of Precinct No. 1, Medina County, at the approaching November election.

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SHERIFF'S NOTICE OF SALE.

By virtue of a certain Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of 73rd Jud. Dist. of Bexar County, on the 23rd day of May 1918, by the District Clerk of said Court, against Oscar V. Seerest and Monroe W. Seerest and M. Coppard, Trustee, for the sum of Five Hundred and forty-two and 70/100 (\$542.70) Dollars and costs of suit, in cause No. B 16952, in said Court, styled The Medina Townsite Company, versus O. V. Seerest, et al, and placed in my hands for service, I, J. F. Bader, as Sheriff of Medina County, Texas, did, on the 4th day of June 1918, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Medina County, described as follows, to-wit:

In the State of Texas, County of Medina and town of Natalia, known as Lot No. 22, in Block No. 11, as shown on a plat and subdivision of parts of Original Surveys No. 353, John Harding, No. 509, J. Varenne; No. 27, M. W. Dikes; No. 6314, G. M. Crawford; and 62, Wm. Crawford; said plat and subdivision being known as "Natalia", and duly recorded in the Deed Records of Medina County, Texas, in vol. A. 48, pages 2 and 3, and levied upon as the property of said Oscar V. Seerest, Monroe W. Seerest and M. Coppard, Trustee. And on Tuesday, the 2nd day of July 1918, at the Court House door of Medina County, in the town of Hondo, Texas, between the hours of ten A. M. and four P. M., I will sell said property at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said Oscar V. Seerest, M. W. Seerest and M. Coppard, Trustee, by virtue of said levy and said Order of Sale.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Hondo Anvil Herald, a newspaper published in Medina County.

Witness my hand, this 4th day of June 1918.
J. F. BADER,
Sheriff Medina County, Texas.

THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Medina County, Greeting:

R. R. McAnelly, Administrator of the Estate of P. E. McAnelly, deceased, having filed in our County Court his Final Account of the condition of the Estate of said P. E. McAnelly, deceased, numbered 813, on the Probate Docket of Medina County, together with an application to be discharged from said administration.

You are hereby Commanded, That by publication of this Writ for twenty days in a Newspaper printed in the County of Medina you give due notice to all persons interested in the Account for Final Settlement of said Estate, to appear and contest the same if they see proper so to do on or before the 7th Term, 1918, of said County Court, commencing and to be holden at the Court House of said County, in the town of Hondo, Medina County, Texas, on the first day in July, A. D. 1918, when said Account and Application will be acted upon by said Court.

Given Under My Hand and seal of said Court, at my office in Hondo, Texas, this 6th day of June, A. D. 1918.
[L. S.] S. A. JUNGMAN,
Clerk, County Court Medina Co.

I Hereby Certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Original Writ now in my hands.
J. F. BADER,
Sheriff Medina County.



NEW MAXIMUM LIMIT IS PLACED ON SALE OF SUGAR

Houston, Tex.—Effective immediately, all merchants of Texas are to restrict the sale of sugar at one tiny to two pounds to the city trade and five pounds to the country trade, announces Administrator Peden.

Sugar for preserving purposes should not be sold in amounts in excess of twenty-five pounds at any one time to the consumer, and such sales must not be made more than once a month. It is necessary for the dealer to continue a statement for preserving purposes, which should be returned to state headquarters of the food administration when signed by the purchaser.

Merchants are instructed to handle sugar sales in the following order:

1. To the consumer for ordinary household purposes.

2. Sugar for preserving purposes and sugar for manufacturers, covered by certificates issued and marked statement "B."

If there is any surplus on hand after the above are taken care of, the merchants may sell against the certificates marked statement "A." Dealers as far as practicable should confine their sales to their regular established trade and territory.

Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days
Your druggist will refund money if PAIN-O-INTMENT fails to cure any case of Itching, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days. The first application gives Ease and Rest. See.

KEEPING THE BOYS STRAIGHT

Funds That Have to Do With the Morals of Sammies Boosted by Traveling Man.

"I got a glimpse of the war yesterday that showed me a few things," said the drummer with a checked suit and a slight limp.

"The train was about to leave the Dearborn street station, in the vestibule of a Pullman stood an aged woman with her soldier son. He held her in his arms while she sobbed her heart out. It was her boy. She had watched over him from his toddling infancy—I know. She had trained him in upright ways, and she never slept at night until he was safe at home in his bed. She was proud of him.

"And now he was going away.

"And when the train had disappeared she said to a companion: 'If the nation claims him on the field—I will still have his memory. But if they send him home to me a moral and physical wreck—'

"I didn't hear any more, but believe me, I'm for anything that will keep the young fellows straight while they are away. That's why I boost the Y. M. C. A. and the recreation fund—I've two brothers in the service and I want 'em to come home decent. And the drummer shook his head when someone asked him to 'have one.' The rest of the crowd wondered.—Indianapolis News.

MOST LIKELY



First Lawyer—Most every woman in this town who has a lawsuit goes to old man Blackstone. Why is it?

Second Lawyer—I think he gives trading stamps.

Telephones in Hats.

A New York man, Jesse L. Spence, has invented a helmet for the use of aviators which not only provides them with a head covering but a telephone as well. Anyone who has ever tried to talk while in an airplane knows how difficult it is, says Popular Science Monthly.

The loud noise made by the engine and the high wind pressure makes conversation wellnigh impossible.

The type of helmet invented by Mr. Spence has a pocket which holds a telephonic receiver, ear tabs and a flaring tube leading away from the pocket which connects with an opening inside of the ear tabs. When two or more persons are in the airplane each wears a helmet.

Coloring Pink Salad.

Pink and red are favorite colors for midwinter table decorations, both because they are cheerful—and becoming—colors on cold weather, and also because red and pink roses and carnations are so plentiful in winter. There are several ways of coloring salads red and pink. The dressing, if it is of the thick order, like mayonnaise or any boiled dressing, may be colored with a little beet juice or cranberry juice. The coral of lobster may also be used for coloring it. Faint shades of pink in jelly for salad may be obtained from salmon and shrimps.

Kitchen Economy.

The government suggests economy on kitchen utensils.

To mend a hole in graniteware work a piece of putty until perfectly soft, then take a piece of the putty large enough to cover the hole and put one piece on either side of the metal, pressing together inside and out, smoothing down the edges.

Place the vessel in a slow oven and bake until the putty is a deep brown. For containing water the vessel will be as good as new.

Aviation Safest, Says Peary.

Rear Admiral Robert E. Peary said in a recent address before a large gathering of newly enfranchised women in New York that of all branches of military service in the present war, aviation is the safest. The hospital service, said the admiral, is the most dangerous. Artillery is placed by Admiral Peary as next in point of relative hazard, with the infantry next, and the cavalry as the safest of the various branches, except the service in the air.



HOW TO MEASURE MEAT RATION OF 2 POUNDS WEEKLY

Success of Equitable Meat Distribution Rests With Consumer; Plan Based on Patriotism and Voluntary Denial.

It is estimated that \$50,000,000 would be required if the nation were successfully placed on a ration system for the handling of wheat flour, sugar and meat, nor would this amount cover the monthly operating expenses after the system were inaugurated. "For this reason," announces the Federal Food Administration for Texas, "we look to the individual for co-operation in observing the ration suggested and to the distributor to see that the quantities suggested are dispensed as nearly in the degree suggested as possible."

The placing of all manufacturers using sugar on a rationing basis has been achieved at a great expense to the Food Administration. Sugar used by manufacturers may only be procured through the possession of a certificate issued by the state headquarters and the quantity is based upon a definite schedule of allotments.

The distribution of wheat flour in Texas, now that the State has adopted a wheatless program, is handled alone in victory bread, through licensed bakers. Homes and public eating places, until the wheatless program was adopted, were on six pounds per person of flour a month. While difficult to make this rationing complete, the distribution to the public through the wholesalers and the retailers nearly approximated that quantity when the sum total of wheat flour for Texas was divided by the sum total of the consuming public.

Bewilderment is now expressed by dispensers of meat, both in public eating places and at meat markets, as to how the individual is to be kept within his ration of two pounds of meat per week. Some have suggested a return to meatless days and meatless meals. The United States Food Administration, in announcing the new meat program, expressed an unwillingness to return to fixed meatless meals or days. It is hoped that the American public will conform their purchases, on patriotic and military grounds, to the two-pound ration of meat, just as the majority have done in the purchase of sugar and flour, and that in the general summation the amount of meat consumed nationally a month in the United States, when divided by the people consuming meat, will reflect the two-pound ration.

While no instructions have been issued defining a program, it is thought by the Federal Food Administration that the time has come when public eating places and meat markets should begin to approximate their respective trade in numbers. Every meat dispenser should begin to collate a list of families making regular purchases at his place of business. Families of five would be encouraged to buy not more than ten pounds of meat a week; families of two not more than four pounds a week, and so forth. This is not of ligatory, but more and more as the war advances and military necessities demand increasing quantities of meat it would be to the advantage of every meat dispenser to know to a man the number of persons buying of his place of business.

If at the end of each day the meat dealer will divide the number of his customers with the pounds of meat bought, he will know the average purchase for the day in pounds per person; and if at the end of each week he will divide the total pounds sold by the total persons represented in the sales of the week, he will soon be in position to gauge whether or not he is meeting the federal requirements. Such information would be invaluable as the program is advanced to meet military necessity.

All of this detail means additional work, but the present war is a test of the fitness of men in service at the front and in the business world to survive, and out of it the Food Administration believes that lack of business methods will disappear and men will come to know accurately the minute details and elements which make up their livelihood—facts which, because of too much prosperity and extravagance, have almost been obliterated from American life.

TEXAS EATING PLACES

ON WHEATLESS BASIS

R. A. Parker, director of hotels and restaurants for the federal food administration for Texas, wired John McBowman, director of the division of hotels and restaurants of the United States food administration, Wednesday, that all of the public eating places of Fort Worth and El Paso have gone on an absolutely wheatless basis.

All other cities of Texas are using in public eating places more or less of quick breads.

The restrictions on bread not containing wheat, which for a time were limited to four ounces to the person, have been removed, and corn bread or rice bread without an admixture of wheat may be served to the extent that the proprietor cares to dispense it.

FEDERAL INCOME TAX IN BRIEF

The Requirements Boiled Down for Busy Folks.

Returns must be filed on or before April 1, 1918.

Tax due may be paid now or on or before June 15, 1918.

If you are single and your net income for 1917 was \$1,000 or more you must file a return.

If you were married and living with wife (or husband) and had a net income of \$2,000 or more for 1917 you must file a return.

Husband's and wife's income must be considered jointly, plus income of minor children.

Income of a minor or incompetent, derived from a separate estate, must be reported by his legal representative.

Severe penalties are provided for those who neglect or evade the law.

For false or fraudulent return there is a penalty not exceeding \$2,000 fine or years imprisonment, or both, plus 100 per cent. of tax.

For failure to make return on or before April 1, 1918, fine is from \$20 to \$1,000, plus 50 per cent. of tax due.

Returns must be filed with the Collector of Internal Revenue of district in which you live.

An agent may file return for a person who is ill, absent from the country or otherwise incapacitated.

Each return must be signed and sworn or affirmed by person executing it.

Single persons are allowed \$1,000 exemption in computing normal tax.

A married person living with wife (or husband) is allowed \$2,000 exemption, plus \$200 for each dependent child under 18.

A head of family, though single, is allowed \$2,000 exemption if actually supporting one or more relatives.

Returns must show the entire amount of earnings, gains and profits received during the year.

Officials and employees are not taxable on the salaries or wages received from a state, county, city or town in the United States.

Interest on state and municipal bonds issued within the U. S. is exempt from federal income tax and should be omitted.

Interest on United States government bonds is also exempt, except on individual holdings of Liberty Bonds in excess of \$5,000 par value.

Dividends are not subject to normal tax, but must be reported and included in net income.

Gifts and legacies are not income and should not be included on the return of the beneficiary.

Life insurance received as a beneficiary or as premiums paid back at maturity or surrender of policy is not income.

Payments received for real or personal property sold is not income, but the profit realized thereon is income for the year of sale.

Amounts received in payment of notes or mortgages is not income, but the interest on such notes or mortgages is taxable income.

From the entire gross income certain allowances are made in arriving at the net income.

Necessary expenses actually paid in the conduct of business, trade or profession may be claimed.

A farmer can claim payments for labor, seed, fertilizer, stock feed, repairs on buildings, except his dwelling; repairs of fences and farm machinery, materials and small tools for immediate use.

The amount of rent paid for a farm may also be claimed as a tenant farmer's expense.

Payments for live stock are allowable if bought for resale. But if bought or breeding purposes cattle are an investment, not an expense, and cannot be allowed.

A storekeeper can claim amounts paid for advertising, clerk hire, telephone, water, light and fuel, also drayage and freight bills and cost of operating and repairing wagons and trucks.

A physician can claim cost of his professional supplies, rent, office help, telephone, expense of team or automobile used in making professional calls and expenses attending medical conventions.

A dentist can claim similar items, except team or auto expense, which are not necessary in his profession.

Expenses that are personal or connected in any way with the support or well being of a person or family are not allowable.

The costs of machines, instruments, clothes or implements that are more or less permanent in character are not allowable as an expense. They are investments.

Interest paid on a mortgage or other personal indebtedness is allowable on a personal return.

All taxes paid within the year can be taken out on a federal return, except federal income taxes, inheritance taxes and assessments for local improvements.

Losses sustained in business or through fire, storm or shipwreck or by theft, except when compensated by insurance or otherwise.

Wear and tear of rented buildings or machinery used in business may be claimed.

You can also claim the amount paid to the Red Cross and to other charitable, religious or educational organization to the extent of 15 per cent. of your net income.

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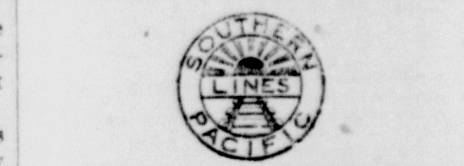
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Waterworks Notice.

On account of the high cost of operation we will not furnish free water for gardens this season. Yard water will be double price. Water for house hold use will remain the same.

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Your grocer has the lemons and any drug store or toilet counter will supply you with three ounces of orchard white for a few cents. Squeeze the juice of two fresh lemons into a bottle, then put in the orchard white and shake well. This makes a quart of the very best lemon skin whitener and complexion beautifier known. Massage this fragrant, creamy lotion daily into the face, neck, arms and hands and just see how freckles, tan, sallowness, redness and roughness disappear and how smooth, soft and clear the skin becomes. Yes! It is harmless, and the beautiful results will surprise you.

Passenger Train Schedules at Hondo, Texas.

EAST BOUND

No. 228 (Jitney) due 4:50 a.m.
No. 102 due 9:10 a.m.
(No stop between Hondo and San Antonio.)
No. 10 due 6:43 p.m.

WEST BOUND

No. 227 (Jitney) due 1:10 a.m.
No. 101 due 3:00 p.m.
(Stops at Hondo, Sabin, Uvalde, Spofford and Del Rio.)
No. 9 due 9:42 p.m.

Trains Nos. 7 and 8 are discontinued.

When in the market for a truck or truck unit it will be to your interest to see The Olson Economy Truck Unit before buying, at the City Motor Car Company.

Remember, the Anvil Herald wants a correspondent from every neighborhood in the county. Send in the neighborhood happenings. Your communication in many instances would be as much appreciated as a personal letter by your friends in other parts of the county.

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PRINCESS ON PRINCE STREET

Queenly Young Woman Honors a Mail Carrier by Handing Him a Dainty Envelope to Be Posted.

They came along to Broadway up one of the cloak-and-suit streets of mid New York, Collier's Weekly says. She was an elaborate young woman in rose-colored velvet and fair as Mirlam with all her bangles on to the dazzled male alongside, who was made up for the world's champion neckwear seller in a Potash and Perlmutter play.

Betwixt dainty gloved thumb and fore-finger she held an envelope (it must have been scented), exactly as your maiden aunt used to hold her ice cream spoon in the dear dead days of 1891. A mere human being was bagging the contents of the mail box at the corner, and she saw him. "Oh, he can mail my letter! Heah you are, letter carrier!" All this in the clearly ringing, sweetly supercilious tones of an Elsie Ferguson heroine who has not yet fallen in love.

Mr. Burleson's coworker took the honor respectfully enough, and the rose-colored velvet floated blandly on. A bystander, however, observed the map of Donegal which served that particular letter carrier for a countenance to be distorted momentarily by a tremendous wink. But, really now, why shouldn't one expect to meet a princess on Prince street—if only in the cloak-and-suit trade? Of course we all believe in the nobility of commerce.

DOG LEARNED MORSE SIGNALS

Canine Recognized Office Call and Would Awaken Master When Latter Was Sleeping.

Tony was a small scraggly-haired Russian terrier that I had while working as night operator at a New Hampshire railroad station, writes F. H. S. in the Boston Globe. In those days I worked 12 hours and often longer when we were short of men, and Tony proved very useful to me, for I taught him to read Morse signals and he would wake me up when my office was called if I happened to doze off after working a long stretch without rest.

My office call was "Ux." Whenever that call was ticked off on the wire I would say "speak Tony!" and the little dog would bark. In about a month's time I had trained Tony to bark loudly every time Ux was called on the wire.

One hot night as we sat in the little office with the door open Tony growled and a big husky hobo, the tallest man I ever saw outside of a circus, lunged in the door and made a grab at me. I dodged and sprang for the desk, where my pistol was. Tony jumped for the man and fastened on to his legs and caused the man to trip and fall. By this time I reached the desk, picked up my gun and covered him.

The bo backed out of the door and I slammed the office door, locked it and turned out the light.

Poor Tony crossed the track in front of a train one day and was instantly killed.

Cedar Forest at Great Height.

In his book, "The Real Algeria," quoted in the Christian Science Monitor, M. D. Scott describes his journey through a cedar forest. "The program was to cross the mountains through a fine forest of cedars by the Col de Telmet, at an altitude of 5,000 feet." Mr. Scott says, "I came across a most curious piece of hillside. Bare rock as steep and smooth as a house roof ran straight from the hilltop to the bottom of the valley with a strike of some 60 degrees. It shone like burnished silver in the bright sun. Never have I seen anything of the kind so beautiful. In various crevices were perched cedar trees, sometimes with a rest so tiny that a miracle alone held them apparently from sliding down the chute."

Perfumes Defy Laundries.

The Arabs around Aden love powerful perfumes and are highly skilled in their preparation. Their favorite is called "oodi." It is made from a wood called "ood" and is so powerful that when burned in incense-pots the smoke will impregnate the garments of those present to such an extent that the perfume will remain upon them for days, even after they have been laundered. They often mix "ood" with civet, ambergris and musk, and thus perfume their clothes. The Germans tried to sell their perfumes at Aden, but failed, as the best they could do was about 43 cents an ounce for perfume not nearly so good as that which the natives made for 8 cents.

What "Shinnamu" Is.

Dyestuffs from leaves of the "Shinnamu," a species of maple common in Korea and known in parts of Manchuria, have given results so promising as to be noticed in a British consular report, says the Nebraska State Journal. Large quantities could be had at about 12 cents a pound, and with the colors produced cotton can be dyed black, indigo, dark gray, gray or khaki. In dyeing silk and pongees, only black can be used, the chief value of the extract being as a material adding 30 per cent to the weight of the textiles.

His Hard Luck.

"So you're going home?" said the old man to the wanderer.

"Yes; tomorrow."

"I understand they are preparing the fatted calf for you?"

"Just my luck. The doctor has made me cut out all fat foods."

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The War Council of the American Red Cross announces the receipt of the following cable from Paris Headquarters, under date of March 30:

At the request of the United States army, the American Red Cross has just arranged to install, with all American troops now engaged in actually fighting the Germans, a special front-line service. This is a development of the front-line canteens through which the American Red Cross has, during the past six months, served more than 1,000,000 French poilus with hot drinks and above all else given a friendly boost right up in or near the trenches themselves.

Today the Red Cross has 15 rolling canteens behind the lines. From these canteens are sent forward daily, often in the small hours of the night, 50 or more large receptacles containing hot drinks. These are served free to the men going on or just coming off duty. The work has proved itself to be of such value to the French that the American army has asked the Red Cross to have this service directly in touch with the medical relief stations nearest the front. The work is often done under heavy shell fire and requires men of great bravery and sympathy. Eugene Hale, brother of Senator Hale, is in charge of the service.

American army officers are testing keen interest in having service at the disposal of the can troops. The Red Cross enlist in France and in America a substantial number of men of the caliber to undertake this service. It will be performed point nearest to the fighting which civilians will be permitted to come in any contact with the front.

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